

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: METHOD FOR THREE-DIMENSIONAL CARTILAGE TISSUE ENGINEERING USING
BONE MARROW CELLS IN SIMULATED MICROGRAVITY ENVIRONMENT

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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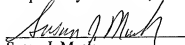
Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final

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